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1. The following Soviet motor vehicle through-traffic was observed in AHNSTADT (M 51/J 25) between 9 August and 6 September 1949:

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9 August 1949: Truck convoy going in the direction
of OHRDRUF (M 51/J 15):

occupied by 15 to 20 troops, 22 to 24 years
of age
occupied by 10 troops, 18 to 20 years of
age
occupied by 15 to 20 troops, 22 to 24 years
of age
C) each occupied by 15 to 20 troops,
C) 22 to 24 years of age, and each
C) hauling an antiaircraft gun of
C) about 50 mm caliber
C)

11 August 1949:

a. Column of 35 sidecar motorcycles, each with a three-
man crew, and five armored personnel carriers towards
OHRDRUF.

b. Several T-34 tanks with long-barreled guns, moving
towards OHRDRUF. The tanks were followed by trucks with
the following numbers:

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} hauling antitank guns, about 50-mm caliber

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3. Three armored reconnaissance cars and trucks with the following numbers, moving from OMR-DRUF in an easterly direction:

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[REDACTED] pulling a 50-mm antitank gun tank truck

25 August 1949:

Trucks moving from OMR-DRUF in an easterly direction:

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[REDACTED] carrying troops and equipment

26 August 1949:

Trucks proceeding towards OMR-DRUF:

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30 August 1949:

Truck coming from the direction of OMR-DRUF:

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31 August 1949:

Coming from the direction of OMR-DRUF:

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3 armored reconnaissance cars
Armored personnel carrier, occupied by troops
Truck [REDACTED]
Sidecar motorcycle [REDACTED] 25X1X
Several armored personnel carriers.

4 September 1949:

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Truck moving towards OMR-DRUF:

6 September 1949:

Trucks coming from the direction of OMR-DRUF:

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2. Only a Soviet kommandatura with a 60-man guard detail was located in AMSTADT at the time of observation. The kommandatura personnel frequently held night and street-firing practice.

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